

Oakenshawe Improvement Association Contractor and Services Reference Listing - Volume 9C, Updated June 2005

The following companies have received favorable recommendations from Oakenshawe residents over the past few years. Company names preceded by an asterisk (*) are referrals provided within the last year. **You should be sure to ask all contractors for referrals and information regarding their local activity.**

This listing does not constitute an endorsement by the OIA. It is offered only as a convenience to the neighborhood. There are certainly many good firms that are not on this list – please recommend company(ies) with which you have had favorable results (quality, attitude, price, etc). To update, send feedback and/or report any “dead ends” when attempting to reach a contractor on this list, please contact Ann Giroux at (410) 889-6484 or aggroux@girouxdevelopment.com. If possible, please provide the following information:

- full name of the contractor
- short description of the type of work they did for you
- phone number
- digital photos (if available)
- key contact person
- your willingness to be used as a referral reference

General Contractors / Carpentry and Remodeling:

* Michael Diffenderffer (carpenter)	(410) 337-2817	Jim Martin	(410) 592-9575
* Steve Caudle, Master Carpenter	(410) 366-5991	*Ed Rusen	(410) 828-6650
* Paul Ciccone Fine Carpentry	(443) 756-5616	*Mike Simmons (excellent work & attitude)	(410) 877-3855
Stewart Crook	(410) 256-0179	Trojan Construction	(410) 284-6538
Crown Contractors	(410) 243-9169	Slagel Home Owners Service (pre-qualified contractor finder services)	(410) 663-3400
* Joe Gerlak (did excellent job on a sunroom for OIA neighbor)	(410) 377-0733	Mark Smetana	(410) 817-4938
Geoff Hiller	(410) 343-2750	Michael Toth Interiors	(410) 557-6185
* Mike Hudson	(410) 435-2839	Thomas Home Improvement Co.	(410) 947-7049
* Doug Randak	(443) 310-9298	* W.J. Hegarty Home Improvements	(410) 721-0633
Billings Construction/Home Improvement	(410) 325-5755	* Ceisla Carpentry & Cabinet Works (do work on old shutters)	(410) 366-2444
Imani Builders (Robert Tompkins)	(410) 662-7005		

Appliance Repair:

* Longo's Appliance Repair	(410) 527-1662		
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Cleaning Services:

* Tina Frank	(410)433-3976	Daisy Maids	(410) 665-8980
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Chimney Cleaning and Repair:

* Clean Sweep Chimney Services (Cullen Davis)	410-837-2041	*Mark and Buttons Chimney Services	(410) 655-4367
*William T. Carroll Masonry Contractors	410-453-0461	*T.A. (Tom) Glynn and Company	(410) 653-3001
* Baltimore Heating and Air Conditioning Clean Sweep Chimney Sweep	410-668-6244	* Town and Country Chimney	(410) 995-6700

Electric:

* Casper Sippel Electric	(410) 668-3910	Ron Rebhan Electrician	(410) 833-7251
*Heubeck Electric	(410) 235-4095	Southwind Electric	(410) 666-7625
Janey Electric	(410) 527-1599	Supreme Electric	(800) 953-VOLT (410) 658-7853
R C Electric	(410) 444-4302	*Team Electric	(410) 254-2200
* Rowe Electric	(410) 882-0911	Jack Henry	(410) 882-5735

Extermination/Pest Control Services:

* Hampden Exterminating (Al Snyder) (410) 889-4832 *Atlas Exterminating Co. (Bruce Morgan) (410) 296-1212

Flooring, Sanding and Finishing:

* Lady Baltimore Floors - hardwood (410) 833-6106 *Mark Cleaver Hardwood Floors (410) 833-6388
 * Floors Etc. (carpet, hardwood, ceramic tile, vinyl, linoleum) (410) 484-4123 * Wolf Floor Sanding and Refinishing (Gary Wolfe) (410) 574-3275
 Old World Wood Floors - Bobby Severe (410) 426 6450 Young and Sons (410) 944-8685
 Bill Gordon –refinishing hardwood (410) 686-9469 Design Wood Floors (410) 655-3986

Furniture Stripping and Repair:

John W. Beasely (repair) (410) 654-5372 *The Town Stripper (furniture and shutter stripping), Frank Strovel (410) 882-0010
 * Baltimore Finishing Works (stripping of furniture, doors, windows, etc.) (410) 235-7326

Firewood:

* Blue Moon Farm 410-992-4984 * Wood Masters (410) 415-5412

“Handyman”/Odd Jobs:

* Mike McGuinness 443-676-0092 * Ray Simmons 410-806-8990 (pager)
 * Doug Randak 443-310-9298 My Handyman Company 410-239-2375

Hauling:

Adams Hauling (Clarence Adams) (410) 467-0976 Thomas McNair (410) 243-7127
 Robert Anderson, Jr. (410) 889-9358 Rosco Mills (410) 889-5231
 Lewis Bell (410) 889-5380 Gregory Morgan (410) 519-4007
 Frank Brown, Sr. (410) 243-8568 Larry Morris (410) 235-0285
 Johnnie Coleman, Jr. (410) 467-4227 Michael Presbury (410) 467-3003
 David-Gans Co., Inc. (410) 467-8159 *Sanford & Son (410) 288-2300
 Adrienne Garrison (410) 366-0234 Sheppard Ruffin (410) 366-6452
 Joseph Hansen, Jr. (410) 235-6751 Raffaella Spinnichio (410) 889-7150
 Ulysses Jones (410) 364-0810 Horris Tisdale (410) 435-2733
 Scott Linaburg, Sr. (410) 243-2943 *Trash B Gone (John Lilly) (410) 889-3455
 Spence Womack (410) 532-2343

Heating & Air Conditioning:

Accurate Heating and Air Conditioning (410) 747-7111 Frosty Refrigeration (410) 747-2022
 *Atlas Air Conditioning (410) 467-0288 *Pipco (410) 252-7400
 Bibb Heating and Equipment Co. (410) 235-9905 *W. H. Kratz (window unit repair) (410) 947-7100
 *Cummins Air conditioning (410) 484-1333

Interior Design / Home Organization & Closets:

* Marcy Feeney – Sunderland Interiors (she lives in Oakenshaw) (410) 653-7773 * The Big “O: Organizing For Life” (Becky Bridger is an Oakenshaw resident) (410) 662-9672
 *Closet Solutions (John Doherty) (410) 467-6321 Johnson/Berman (410) 752-2030
 Erickson Design Group (410) 243-0840 Constance Lee Interiors (410) 235-4495

Landscaping / Landscape Design:

*Green Fields Nursery and Landscaping (410) 323-3444 * Martin Construction Co. (trellises, fences, arbors, etc.) (410) 592-9575
 * Keeton’s Landscapery – patios, landscaping, etc. (Scott Keeton) (410) 442-1653 * Landscapes by Design (Ann Lundy) (410) 366-0358
 Kurt Bluemel, Inc. (410) 557-7229 Maxalea Nurseries (410) 377-0075

Lawn Care and Garden Maintenance:

*Chip Brown (mowing)	(410) 343-0811	Suzy Hobson	(410) 235-4759
Paul Graves	(410) 662-7670	Valley Mowers	(410) 561-8169
* Lawnmower Blade Sharpening – Superior Sharpening (Harford Road)	(410) 668-2055		

Paint, Drywall & Wallpaper:

* Frank Williams Inc.	(410) 866-6272	*Pro Paint (Larry Thompson)	(410) 766-2598
* Painting Concepts (Casey Cutlip) (interior and exterior)	(443) 865-2755	* Nery Payes Painting (interior, exterior, dry wall, plaster repair; specializes in restoration projects)	443-804-6711
* Brothers Painting (lead aware)	(410) 783-0180	* John Coale (Roland Park Painting)	(410) 599-1560
Terry Koenig	(410) 889-2210	* Sophocles	(443) 616-6412
* Neftali Ipina (exterior)	(410) 499-7794	* Creech Wall Scraping (removal)	(410) 233-3637
Don Schmidt	(410) 529-5183		

Lead Paint Services:

* Connor Environmental (testing)	(410) 296-7971	* Brothers Painting (lead aware)	(410) 783-0180
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Masonry Services (Stone, Brick, Cement, Granite, Patio):

Brooks Masonry	(410) 515-4390	*Michael DiCarlo	(410) 391-3932
Cape May Contractors, Inc (Don Ross)	(410) 574-3222	*Vinci Stone (granite, slate)	(410) 442-1460
	(410-893-3352	*Eric Smith (stone repointing)	(443) 417-4821
* Chris Ruane (brick and stone walls)			

Pet Services (bonded & insured):

*Pets In Stride (Larry Levine)	(410) 241-1236	*Two Brown Dogs (Kathy Homan)	(410) 852-4271
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Piano: Lessons and Tuning:

*Steven Conrad (Tuning)	(410) 796-8364	Ann McCandliss (Lessons)	(410) 467-5193
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Plastering:

* Gary Nevins	410-977-1270	Joe Smith	(410) 325-2388
Hayles and Howe Ornamental Plasterers	(410) 462-0986	* Frank Williams and Son	410-866-6272

Plumbing:

* Guardian Mechanical	(410) 644-2703	*Edgar Plumbing and Heating	(410) 803-0052
A.J. Michaels	(410) 435-5400	H.M. Plumbing	(410) 879-3289
*Aqua Plumbing (drains cleared)	(410) 563-0300	*Jensen Plumbing (Chris Jensen)	(410) 467-1813
Jim Bush Plumbing	(410) 354-2754	*Joe Larichiuta	(410) 889-7879
*Catonsville Professional Services	(410) 719-0734	*Patrick O'Neill	(410) 433-4047
Francis C. Dorsey Plumbing	(410) 235-9905	* Saffer Plumbing	(410) 665-4238
Abbott's Plumbing	(410) 536-5700	* Amendt Plumbing	(410) 426-3888
* Charlie Lafferty	(410) 668-9360	* Steve Brobit	(410) 529-2945

Radiator Covers (Custom. Wood and metal):

* Frank Wurtz – SMK Enterprises (877) 768-8072 * The Wooden Radiator Cabinet Company (800) 817-9110

Metals/Restoration (Ceiling, Hardware, Metals):

Amos Judd and Sons Inc. (brass polishing) (410) 462-2000 *Brassworks Co. Inc. (polishing, repair, rewiring of lamps) (410) 327-7280
The Art-Craft Ceiling Co. (410) 679-8120 Designer Hardware (410) 225-3640
Bechtel Plating and Mfg. (410) 727-3267 *Stebbins Anderson (410) 823-6600
* Baltimore Metal Crafters (plating, polishing, restoration) (410) 235-5705

Roofing & Gutters: (most also downspouts)

Barker Construction Company (410) 239-3974 Mark Dedeo Roofing (410) 667-0699
* Chesapeake Home Improvement (John Reisinger) (410) 327-0355 * Madonna Construction (Paul Hammer) (410) 893-6550
* Fick Brothers Roofing (410) 889-5525 * Thomson Remodeling Company (410) 889-7391
Historic Roofing Company Inc. (301) 805-1724 * Vickers Roofing Co. (410) 655-5172
* J.M. Roofers (410) 388-1538 Wallace and Gale Co. (410) 243-6600
* Roland Slate Roofing (410) 532-9037

Security Doors (Steel):

* Masterseal – Bill Lambert (410) 377-2495

Shutter Repair:

* Dennis Ceisla – Ceisla Carpentry & Cabinet Works (410) 366-2444

Tree Maintenance and Stump Removal:

* A&A Tree Experts (Ron Orm) (410) 486-4561 Carroll Tree Service (410) 653-9070
Arbortech (Steve) (410) 668-8733 *Community Tree Experts (410) 358-7343
*Baltimore Tree Experts (410) 335-9000

Upholstering:

Ibello (410) 243-1163 * Begleiter (upholstering, slipcovers, caning furniture repair) (410) 744-6075
Joe Loiero (410) 666-9037 Paul Vicino Ltd. (410) 243-7969

Waterproofing:

B-Dry (410) 255-2200 *Basement Systems (800) 498-4119

Windows (Custom, Guards, Shutters, Stained Glass, Treatments):

Dan Herman (stained glass) (410) 247-2887 Vixen Hill Shutters (800) 423-2766
*Just Windows – Hunter Douglas (Treatments) (410) 561-5156 Walbrook Mill and Lumber (wood window, door & shutter replication) (410) 462-2200
Bob Kean (used shutters) (410) 243-8827 * WeatherSeal corporation (window guards) (410) 922-1980
Kopp Lumber Co. (custom storm windows and doors) (410) 374-9055 * Window Washing: Steve Windows (410) 889-3980
* KC Pella (window replacement) (877) 247-3552